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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Indianapolis Draft Project.
Title	Indianapolis Draft Project letter
Date	1969/05/12
Extent	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
Language	English
Text [Folder]	S1597

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Historical Note

The Indianapolis Draft Project was located at 222 East 16th Street in Indianapolis, Indiana and was part of the peace movement during the Vietnam War. It offered draft counseling service, with counseling centers in multiple college communities, and education concerning inequality in the war and the draft through "leafleting," demonstrations and the media. Their efforts caught the attention of Staughton Lynd and David Dellinger, two prominent American pacifists and social justice activists, as well as the local police. The organization also provided aid to young men resisting the draft or filing for conscientious objector status.

Sources:

Items in the collection.

IUPUI. Indianapolis Draft Project flyer. "Religious and American Community Curriculum Guide: 1960-Present: Indianapolis." Accessed May 10, 2016. <http://www.polis.iupui.edu/ruc/rac/13/31/20/Indianapolis/materials/36.asp>.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains a two-page, typed letter written by JoAnn Costello of the Indianapolis Draft Project in Indianapolis, Indiana to Mr. and Mrs. Miller on May 12, 1969, regarding the purpose of the organization and requesting financial aid to support their current staff and add three more during the summer of 1969.

Arrangement

The collection contains one item.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Correspondence

Geographic Name(s)

- Indianapolis (Ind.)

Personal Name(s)

- Dellinger, David T., 1915-2004
- Lynd, Staughton

Subject(s)

- Conscientious objectors
- Draft--United States
- Pacifists
- Political activists
- Vietnam War, 1961-1975
- Vietnam War, 1961-1975--Peace
- Vietnam War, 1961-1975--Protest movements--Indiana